# Studies in Psalms Psalm 119

Psalms 113-118 The Hallel

**PSALM 119** 

Psalms 120–134 Songs of Ascent

# Foundation Stones of a 'Blameless' Life:

Torah (תורה) Torah

Testimonies (אדות) Eidut

Precepts (פקודים) Pekudim

Statutes (חקים) Chukim

Commandments (מצות) Mitzvot

Judgments/ (משפטים) Mishpatim
Ordinances

## **Psalm 119:1**

#### How blessed are those...

- (A) ...whose way is blameless,
- (B) ...who walk in the Torah of Adonai.

#### The Revealed Torah vs. The Concealed Torah

**Revealed:** 13, 22, 44, 51-52, 55-56, 57, 59, 63, 67, 69-70, 83, 93, 100, 102, 104, 106, 109-110, 112, 129, 141, 145-146, 153, 157, 159, 166-168, 176

Concealed: 12, 19, 26-27, 29, 33-34, 64, 68, 71, 73, 94, 108, 124-125, 131, 135, 144, 169

# John 4:23-24

"But an hour is coming, and now is, when the true worshipers shall worship the Father in **spirit** and **truth**; for such people the Father seeks to be His worshipers. God is spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in **spirit** and **truth**."

#### Psalm 119:142

Your righteousness is an everlasting righteousness, and Your Torah is **truth**.

# Romans 2:20

a corrector of the foolish, a teacher of the immature, having in the Torah the embodiment of knowledge and of the **truth**.

#### Romans 7:14

For we know that the Torah is **spiritual**; but I am of flesh, sold into bondage to sin.

# **Grasping God's Commandments:**

- 1. I AM Adonai...
- 2. No other gods...
- 3. No idolatry...
- 4. Keep the Sabbath...
- 5. Honor parents...

- 6. Do not murder
- 7. Do not commit adultery
- 8. Do not steal
- 9. Do not bear false witness
  - 10. Do not covet...

#### #1 - Exodus 20:2

"I am Adonai your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery."

#### #10 - Exodus 20:17

"You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife or his male servant or his female servant or his ox or his donkey or anything that belongs to your neighbor."

# **Psalm 23:1**

Adonai is my shepherd, ...

... I shall not want.

# Psalm 119:11

Your word I have hidden in my heart, that I may not sin against You.

# Psalm 119:18

Uncover my eyes, that I may behold wonders from Your Torah.

# Ps. 119:44-45, 96

So I will keep Your Torah continually, forever and ever. And I will walk at liberty, for I seek Your precepts...I have seen a limit to all perfection; Your commandment is exceedingly broad.

Job 11:9 Its measure is longer than the earth, and broader than the sea.

#### Psalm 119:54

Your statutes are my songs in the house of my pilgrimage.

# Psalm 119:67

Before I was afflicted I went astray, but now I keep Your word.

OR

Before I learned, I went astray, but now I keep Your word.

# Psalm 119:81, 123

My soul languishes for Your salvation; I wait for Your word... My eyes fail with longing for Your salvation, and for Your righteous word.

**Deuteronomy 8:3** And He humbled you and let you be hungry, and fed you with manna which you did not know, nor did your fathers know, that He might make you understand that man does not live by bread alone, but man lives by everything that proceeds out of the mouth of Adonai.

John 8:31 ... "If you abide in My word, then you are truly disciples of Mine."

# Psalm 119:83

Though I have become like a wineskin [dried] in the smoke, I did not forget Your statutes.

**Isaiah 55:9** "For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are My ways higher than your ways, and My thoughts than your thoughts."

# Psalm 119:89

Forever, Adonai, Your word is settled in heaven.

Psalm 33:6 By the word of Adonai the heavens were made, and by the breath of His mouth all their host.

2 Timothy 3:16 All Scripture is God-breathed ...

#### Psalm 119:91

They stand this day according to Your ordinances, for all things are Your servants.

# Psalm 119:92

If Your Torah had not been my delight, then I would have perished in my affliction.

Perspective gives us the natural ability to frame a trauma in meaningful context before it becomes fused with our identity and becomes part of a self-sustaining story that defines us.

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# Ps. 119:151-152, 160

You are near, Adonai, and all Your commandments are truth. Of old I have known from Your testimonies that You have founded them forever. ... The sum of Your word is truth, and every one of Your righteous ordinances is everlasting.

# Psalm 119:165

Those who love Your Torah have great peace, and nothing causes them to stumble.

**Isaiah 48:22** "There is no peace for the wicked," says Adonai.

#### Psalm 119:174

I long for Your Yeshua, Adonai, and Your Torah is my delight.